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SUBJECT: DISPOSAL OF NASA EXCESS PROPERTY
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2. THE EQUIPMENT IS BEING ABANDONED IN PLACE AND THEREFORE WE HAVE NO CONTROL OVER FURTHER USE. HOWEVER, WE ASSUME THAT THE COUNCIL FOR SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH (CSIR) WHO WERE THE FORMER OPERATORS WILL ASSUME CONTROL. KISSINGER
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